

tinued oversight hearings on drug abuse prevention. Testimony was heard from FDA Commissioner Charles Edwards and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Friday, February 4.

#### CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on consumer product safety with testimony from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### AMTRAK FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11417 amended, to amend the Rail Passenger Service Act of 1970 to provide financial assistance to the National Railroad Passenger Corp. for the purpose of purchasing railroad equipment.

#### PAYMENT AUTHORIZATIONS— PRIVATE CLAIMS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 631 and H.R. 632, for the relief of the village of River Forest, Ill. The subcommittee also acted on private claims bills.

#### COMMISSION ON BANKRUPTCY EXTENSION

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 1006, to extend the term of the Commission on the Bankruptcy Laws of the United States.

#### MID-DECADE CENSUS

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service:* Subcommittee on Census and Statistics met to consider mid-decade census legislation but took no action.

#### FEDERAL INSTALLATIONS IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

*Select Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Small Business Problems in Smaller Towns and Urban Areas concluded hearings on the impact of Federal installations on small business. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. John W. Roberts, Director of Personnel Plans, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, Department of the Air Force.

#### PUBLIC DEBT CEILING

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Began executive consideration of the administration's proposal to increase the public debt ceiling.

Thursday, February 3, 1972

## Senate

### Chamber Action

#### Routine Proceedings, pages 2477-2485

**Bills Introduced:** Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3115-3122; and S.J. Res. 194 and 195. Page 2460

**Bill Reported:** Report was made as follows:

S. 3122, authorizing funds for the extension of activities under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act through June 30, 1972 (S. Rept. 92-602). Page 2516

**Bills Referred:** Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 2457-2458

#### Measures Passed:

*Chapel of the Astronauts:* Senate took from the calendar, passed with committee amendment, and returned to the House H.R. 11487, to convey certain lands in Brevard County, Fla., to the Chapel of the Astronauts, Inc. Pages 2447-2448

*Water pollution control:* Senate passed and cleared for the House S. 3122, authorizing funds for the extension of activities under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act through June 30, 1972. Page 2516

**Equal Employment Opportunity:** Senate continued consideration of S. 2515, to further promote equal employment opportunities for American workers, and, by 53 yeas to 35 nays, two-thirds of the Senators present and voting not having voted in the affirmative, rejected second motion to close further debate on this bill.

Pending amendment to this bill is Ervin amendment No. 813, to provide that coverage of title VII include employers of 25 or more persons, and labor organizations with 25 or more members, instead of eight persons or members, as called for in the bill. Pages 2485-2494

**Appropriations—Foreign Aid:** Senate continued consideration of H.R. 12067, making appropriations for foreign aid programs for fiscal year 1972, taking action on additional proposed amendments thereto as follows:

#### Adopted:

(1) By 74 yeas to 8 nays, Gurney amendment No. 854, to strike provisions barring use of funds for medical and welfare payments to refugees who have resided in the United States for 3 years or more; and

(2) Chiles amendment No. 855, increasing by \$10 million to a total of \$139 million funds for assistance to refugees in the United States; and

**Rejected:** By 36 yeas to 46 nays, Byrd of Virginia amendment reducing from \$261.7 million to House-

passed figure of \$150 million funds for U.S. contributions to the Inter-American Development Bank.

Pending at adjournment was Stevenson amendment increasing from \$175 million to \$225 million funds for relief in East Pakistan, with proviso that funds shall not be available for obligation in excess of 40 percent of all contributions for such purpose from any source. When Senate resumes consideration of this amendment tomorrow, debate will be limited to 20 minutes.

Also by unanimous consent, it was agreed that debate on additional amendments proposed to this bill will be limited to 30 minutes, instead of 1 hour, as provided in the original agreement.

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**International Financial Institutions:** Senate disagreed to the House amendments to S. 748, U.S. contributions to Fund for Special Operations for Inter-American Development Bank; S. 749, U.S. contribution to Special Funds of the Asian Development Bank; and S. 2010, providing for increased U.S. participation in the International Development Association, requested conference with the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Mansfield, Aiken, and Case.

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**Treaties Received:** Amendment to article VI of the Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency (Ex. C, 92d Cong., second sess.) and Convention for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with Norway (Ex. D, 92d Cong., second sess.) were received, the injunctions of secrecy removed therefrom, and the amendment and convention, together with President's messages, were referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

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**Confirmations:** Senate confirmed the nominations of Ralph E. Erickson, of California, Dale Kent Frizzell, of Kansas, and Henry E. Petersen, of Maryland, each to be an Assistant Attorney General;

Kenneth Rush, of New York, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense; and

Eberhardt Rechlin, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

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**Record Votes:** Three record votes were taken today.

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**Adjournment:** Senate met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

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## Committee Meetings

### 1973 BUDGET

**Committee on Appropriations:** Committee continued hearings on overall budget for fiscal year 1973, receiving testimony from Senator Cranston; Moon Landrieu, mayor of New Orleans, Kenneth Gibson, mayor of Newark, and Harry Haskell, mayor of Wilmington, Del., all representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Sam Massell, of Atlanta, and Roman S. Gribbs, of

Detroit, both of the National League of Cities; Adam Yarmolinsky, Federation of American Scientists; Harold Willens, Businessmen's Educational Fund; Eugene Rinta, Council of State Chambers of Commerce; David Fish, Unified School Districts of San Diego; Dr. Roger W. Heyns, American Council on Education; Dr. Lewis Thomas, Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology; Dr. James R. Kimmey, American Public Health Association; Dr. Carey B. Joynt, United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.; Franklin Ducheneaux, National Congress of American Indians; and Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

### AIR FORCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

**Committee on Armed Services:** Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Research and Development continued executive hearings on proposed authorizations for fiscal year 1973 for research and development programs, receiving testimony on funds for advanced medium short take off and landing transport and lightweight fighter prototype programs, from Maj. Gen. H. K. Hansen, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

### HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

**Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:** Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs met in executive session to consider pending housing and urban development legislation, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

### CIGARETTE REGULATION

**Committee on Commerce:** Subcommittee for Consumers resumed hearings on the matter of overall regulation of the cigarette industry, including S. 1454, to establish acceptable levels of tar and nicotine content of cigarettes. Witnesses heard were Senator Spong; Dr. Sheldon C. Sommers and Dr. Robert C. Hockett, both of the Council for Tobacco Research—USA; James S. Hind, R. J. Reynolds, Inc.; Constantine Stephano, Impack Corp., Washington, D.C.; Donald Tiggelbeck, Calgon Corp.; E. W. Kelley, Consolidated Cigar Corp.; New York City; and Paul W. Garbo, General Cigar Co., Inc.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 10.

### SOCIAL SECURITY AMENDMENTS

**Committee on Finance:** Committee continued hearings on H.R. 1, proposed Social Security Amendments of 1972, receiving testimony from Governor Nelson Rockefeller, of New York; Wilbur Cohen, former Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Vernon E. Jordan, Jr., National Urban League, Inc.; Clarence Mitchell, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; Theodore C. Wenzl, New York State Civil Service



Employees Association; and Elaine McLean, Washington State Welfare Organization.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### INDIA BRIEFING

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on U.S. relations with India from Ambassador Kenneth B. Keating.

#### PORTUGUESE BASES

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee continued hearings on S. Res. 214, expressing sense of the Senate to require its advice and consent to new military base agreements with Portugal (Azores and Bahrain bases), receiving testimony from Representative Diggs.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

#### CRIMINAL RECORDS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries began hearings on S. 2732, to provide procedures to nullify certain criminal records of rehabilitated first offenders which serve as a barrier to employment, receiving testimony from Stephen Schlossberg, general counsel, United Auto Workers; and Roy Burke, Chief of Police, Seat Pleasant, Md.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 15.

#### DOCK STRIKE

*Committee on Labor and Public Welfare:* Committee resumed hearings on S.J. Res. 187, to establish a three-member arbitration board, to be appointed by the Secretary of Labor, to hear and settle all issues in the west coast dock strike, receiving testimony from Secretary of Transportation John A. Volpe, Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz, and Under Secretary of Commerce James Lynn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

*Committee on Public Works:* Committee favorably reported an original bill (S. 3122), authorizing funds for the extension of activities under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act through June 30, 1972.

#### AGING

*Special Committee on Aging:* Committee resumed joint hearings with the Subcommittee on Aging of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare on evaluation of the Administration on Aging and conduct of the White House Conference on Aging, receiving testimony from Arthur D. Flemming, Chairman, White House Conference on Aging, and Special Consultant to the President on Aging; and John B. Martin, Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 43 public bills, H.R. 12905-12947; seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1050-1052, H. Con. Res. 522 and 523, and H. Res. 799 and 800, were introduced.

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**Bills Reported:** Reports were filed as follows:

S. 2896, to amend chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to adopted child (H. Rept. 92-811);

H.R. 12741, to extend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act through June 30, 1972 (H. Rept. 92-812);

H.R. 12143, to provide for the establishment of the San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge, amended (H. Rept. 92-813); and

H.R. 12910, to provide for a temporary increase in the public debt limit (H. Rept. 92-814).

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**Late Reports:** Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 12910, to provide for a temporary increase in the public debt limit; and the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file by midnight Saturday, February 5, reports on H.R. 7088, to provide for the establishment of the Tinicum Environmental Center in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; H.R. 12186, to strengthen the penalties imposed for violation of the Bald Eagle Protection Act; and H.R. 12143, to provide for the establishment of the San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge.

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**Committee Resignation:** Read a letter from Representative Young of Florida, wherein he resigns from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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**Drug Abuse Prevention:** By a record vote of 380 yeas, the House passed H.R. 12089, to establish a Special Action Office for Drug Abuse Prevention and to concentrate the resources of the Nation against the problem of drug abuse.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

Agreed to an amendment that eliminated a provision which amends the Reorganization Act.

Rejected an amendment that sought to prevent the Director from any authority over the Veterans' Administration (rejected by a recorded teller vote of 174 yeas to 196 noes).

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill, S. 2097, was passed in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

H. Res. 792, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 9. Page 2561  
Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:42 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### RURAL DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Agriculture:* Met in executive session and approved committee print of a clean bill to be introduced in lieu of H.R. 10867, Rural Development Act of 1971.

### RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on title II (research, development, test, and evaluation) of H.R. 12604, Armed Forces appropriation authorization for fiscal year 1973. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses.

### COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Select Committee on Crime:* Met in executive session and discussed program for the coming year.

### VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 9847, H.R. 8395, and related bills, to provide vocational rehabilitation services to the disabled. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### EMPLOYMENT AND MANPOWER ACT

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 11167, Employment and Manpower Act of 1972, with testimony from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Wednesday, February 9.

### UNITED STATES-LATIN AMERICAN RELATIONS

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on fishing problems and United States-Latin American relations. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs and U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress.

### POW/MIA IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments held a hearing on the current official position of the United States Government regarding POW/MIA in Southeast Asia. Testimony was heard from William Sullivan, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State.

### NATIONAL PARKS' DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation began oversight hearings on development in areas within the Na-

tional Park System. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Interior Rogers C. B. Morton.  
Hearings continue tomorrow.

### PUBLIC BROADCASTING ACT

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.R. 11807 and H.R. 7443, to provide for improved financing for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. Testimony was heard from FCC Chairman Dean Burch and Dr. Clay T. Whitehead, director, Office of Telecommunications Policy.

### CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on consumer product safety with testimony from Representative Halpern and public witnesses.

### D.C. REPRESENTATION IN CONGRESS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 253, to amend the Constitution to provide for representation of the District of Columbia in Congress.

### ADOPTED CHILD

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service:* Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2896, to amend chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to adopted child.

### FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

*Committee on Public Works:* Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12741, to extend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act through June 30, 1972.

### PUBLIC DEBT CEILING

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12910, to provide for a temporary increase in the public debt limit.

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Friday, February 4, 1972

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 2692-2728*

**Bills Introduced:** Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 3123-3130; S.J. Res. 196; and S. Con. Res. 57 and 58.

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